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Patrick Louis-Rene Riffault

Application No. 09/929,470

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR MAINTAINING LOAD
BALANCE ON A GRAPHICS BUS
WHEN AN UPGRADE DEVICE IS
INSTALLED

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.